# Northwell Health COVID Team Member Support Survey Results Summary









# Survey Overview

On May 4, we launched the COVID-19 Team Member Support Survey to understand the needs of all team members, including physicians, residents, and fellows. Within a one week administration, we achieved a 35% response rate (n = 24,708). Highest number of responses by primary role include Clerical (n = 4,700), Nursing RN (n = 4,219), and Management (n= 4,115).

Results will be used to confirm the direction and further inform the work of the organizational recovery efforts and the Recognition and Resilience/Engagement Work Stream.

# Key Findings

- Resources for managing stress were identified as the greatest need across almost all entities and team member positions.
- Respiratory Therapists, RNs, and those who were redeployed expressed a higher need for support compared to the overall team member population
- Physicians reported needing support regarding navigating Northwell processes and procedures as much as needing support for managing stress and well-being.



# Organizational efforts we've implemented include:

## Overall Well-Being

- Site Tranquility Spaces
- · Emotional Support Resource Call Center
- · Virtual counseling
- Targeted Outreach (Physicians)

■ West Region (4120)

· Well-being time-off guidance

#### Emotional/Psychological Well-Being

- Northwell Center for Traumatic Stress, Resilience & Recovery (CTSRR)
- Senior Psychiatrist Liaisons for every Dept/Service Line
- Fast-track employee appointments at 1554
   Northern Blvd BH Group Practice

#### · Financial Well-Being

- · In-kind donation distribution
- · Memorial & Caregiver Support Funds

#### Recognition

- Ability to donate myRecognition points to fellow team members
- Team member clap-outs during shift change

# Initiatives under development include:

## Overall Well-Being

- Well-being conference series for leaders
- Peer-to-peer support programs
- Scaled Trauma Support & Stress First Aid Toolkit

## · Emotional/Psychological Well-Being

- Targeted outreach to most vulnerable team members (i.e., Respiratory Therapists, Critical Care RNs)
- · Forum for Leaders webinar
- CTSRR satellites actively established at every Northwell hospital, linked to local EAP and Team Lavender

### · Physical and Financial Well-Being

Building sustainable resources and education for team members

#### Leadership Tools

• Leadership Resilience Model/Education; other leadership tools

## Insights

 Targeted strategy to gain further insights related to the needs of our vulnerable team member population to inform further program or offering development

